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GLADSTONE

England's Grand Old Man Gone to
Join the Great Majority.

Was One of the Greatest and
Best Men of

THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.

Hon. William Ewart Gladstone, ex-Premier of England, died at his home Hawarden Castle at 5 o'clock on Thursday morning. For two generations Mr. Gladstone has filled a large space in the world's eye, and the whole civilized world mourns with England in her loss. He was probably the most grandly picturesque character in the world. The end to this grand old man came as peacefully as sleep comes to the little child at nightfall.

SKETCH OF THE GRAND OLD MAN.

William Ewart Gladstone, for many years the leading British statesman, was born in Liverpool, England, December 29, 1809. He was the fourth son of Sir John Gladstone, a wealthy merchant, who relinquished a small business in Glasgow in 1785 and removed to Liverpool, where he acquired a large fortune in the West India trade, and was created a baronet in 1846. The son was sent to Eton and while there gave full promise of the special brilliancy which marked his career at Oxford, where he graduated at Christ Church in 1831, as double first class, the highest honor, and one rarely attained, and became a fellow All Souls'.

After traveling for a short period, Mr. Gladstone entered parliament in December, 1832, as a member from Newark, a nomination borough belonging to the Duke of Newcastle, which he continued to represent until 1846. In December, 1834, he was appointed by Sir Robert Peel a junior lord of the treasury, and in 1835, under secretary for colonial affairs, which office he filled for only two months, when his ministry was overthrown. He continued a useful and active, as well as brilliant member of the opposition party, led by Robert Peel, until that statesman's return to power, in 1841, when he was sworn a member of the privy council and appointed vice president of the board of trade and master of the mint. In this position he explained and defended in parliament the commercial policy of the government and the revision of the British tariff in 1843, was almost entirely his work.

In May, 1843, he succeeded Lord Ripon as president of the board of trade, but in February, 1845, he resigned his office on the introduction of the measure for the increase of the Maynooth grant, which was directly opposed in principle to the opinions he had expressed in his work on church

and state. In November, 1845, Sir Robert Peel resigned, but on the failure of Lord John Russell to form a government, he was recalled and re-constructed his cabinet, Mr. Gladstone becoming secretary of the colonies. One year after he resigned, being unwilling to remain under obligations to the Duke of Newcastle. At the general election in 1847 he was chosen to represent the university of Oxford and one of his first speeches in parliament was in favor of the bill for the removal of the disabilities of the Jews which he had opposed in 1841. His speech against the foreign policy of Lord Palmerston in the Don Pacifico debates was generally regarded as one of the most admirable pieces of British eloquence of recent times.

In 1853 Mr. Gladstone accepted the office of chancellor of the exchequer. While holding this office he introduced his celebrated budget, in a remarkable series of addresses, which were pronounced by Lord John Russell "to contain the ablest exposition of the true principles of finance ever delivered by an English statesman." He later resigned his office on some political differences and again refused an appointment under Lord Derby, but later accepted an appointment as lord high commissioner extraordinary to the Ionian Islands.

On the return of Lord Palmerston to office he again became the chancellor of the exchequer, and was chiefly instrumental in procuring the repeal of the duty on paper and the ratification of the commercial treaty between England and France. During the succeeding years Mr. Gladstone exhibited a theoretical knowledge and a practical skill in the management of the national finances that excited the admiration all Europe.

After the death of Lord Palmerston he became the leader of the house of commons.

In 1868 Mr. Gladstone was defeated as a candidate for Southwest Lancashire, after an exciting contest, but was returned by a large majority by the borough of Greenwich. In December Mr. Gladstone succeeded Mr. Disraeli as premier.

It was under his administration that the treaty of Washington, by which matters of dispute between the United States and Great Britain were settled, negotiated and carried into effect. Mr. Gladstone resigned the premiership on account of the defeat of his bill for the reform of university education in Ireland. An attempt was made to form a new cabinet, but it was unsuccessful and Mr. Gladstone continued in office only a short while, when he again resigned. In the succeeding elections for a new parliament he was returned from Greenwich by a handsome majority. Later he resigned again and Mr. Disraeli accepted the premiership.

Thrice since then Mr. Gladstone has been called to the premiership. It was his ministry that conducted the campaign in Egypt, 1882, 1883, 1884, that proved so costly to England in blood and money. He was succeeded by Lord Salisbury.

Again being called to power, his Irish home rule bill compassed his defeat and again Cecil succeeded "The Grand Old Man," upon whom age was now beginning to tell.

The third time in recent years that he was called to rule the empire found him in such bad health that his tenure of office lasted but a few months and he was succeeded Lord Rosebery, who shortly gave way to Salisbury.

Since his retirement Mr. Gladstone has steadily railed, his several trips to the north of Europe having no effect to postpone approaching dissolution. Mr. Gladstone's published works are: "The State in its Relations with the Church," two volumes; "Church Principles Considered," "Stanzas of Homer and the Homeric Age," three volumes; "Hesperus Ecce Homo," and a pamphlet on the Irish church question entitled, "A Chapter of Autobiography," and the "Juvenius Mundi: The Gods and Men of Heroic Age." He has supervised a translation of several other works of great note. His statue, by Adams, Acton was unveiled in Liverpool on September 11, 1870.

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A Train of Mules Set on Fire.

St. Louis, May 17.—Great excitement was caused this morning by the report that a Spanish sympathizer had set fire to a train of stock cars loaded with 300 mules purchased for the Government, and which was standing in the Union Stock Yards ready for shipment to the South. When the fire was discovered it was with difficulty the animals could be removed from the cars. A number of mules were badly burned and two cars destroyed.

A man suspected to be a Spanish spy was arrested this morning in the mule car at Jefferson Barracks. He refused to give an account of himself and was turned over to the commandant, Capt. Knight. When searched a lot of Spanish correspondence was found on the prisoner. No one at the barracks has been able to identify the prisoner, and the aspect, while speaking Spanish fluently, refused to explain his presence in the car or to give his name.

THE WONDERS

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The Boss Fish Liear.

The following from the Stanford correspondent of the Harrodsburg Sayings is probably the most refreshingly original lie that has come down the road for some time:

"Mrs. Annie Yeager tells me of a rare occurrence of a chicken hen hatching little fishes. She says that when Mr. Frank Rout took some fish and large fish eggs to his home three weeks ago to be cooked, his little 3-year-old girl concluded to let her pet hen hatch out a few of the finny tribe. When no one observed the child carried a lump of fish eggs and put them under her favorite hen. Mrs. Yeager says that when she looked under the hen there were several minnows apparently flourishing on dry land."

Explain It.

Tie a string about a yard long to a door key and take the string in your right hand, holding it so the key will clear the floor four or five inches. If you can hold the key steady, the key will begin to swing back and forth in a straight line. Let another person take your left hand in his and the motion of the key will change to a circular swing. If a third person will place his hand on the shoulder of the second person, the key will stop. Try it and explain it if you can.

Fruit Juices For Shoe Dressing.

Orange juice is one of the best dressings for black shoes or boots. Take a slice or quarter of an orange and rub it on a shoe or boot; then, when dry, brush with a soft brush until the shoe shines like a looking glass. This is an English recipe. Another fruit dressing is for tan shoes, the inside of a banana skin. Rub the skin over the shoe thoroughly, wipe off carefully with a soft cloth briskly.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher, of Zanesville, Ohio, suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Hazel Salve.

WALL

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Crispi Says, "I Told You So."

New York, May 18.—A dispatch to The World from Rome says:

Ex-Premier Crispi, Italy's ablest statesman and diplomat, said in private conversation yesterday, talking of the British Colonial Secretary's suggesting an Anglo-American alliance.

"England foreseeing America's future prominence among nations, prudently wishes to profit thereby."

"If forsooth the great Republic's coming influence years ago, and discomfited with Capri, when Chancellor of Germany, the advisability of forestalling and stemming it by means of a commercial league of European nations, joint customs, regulations and measures."

"But now the torrent is upon us, and Europe must consent to see her future complications settled by a large admixture of American methods and principles."

Settled.

The Mayville Ledger says that the turnpike question in Mason county has been settled by the Fiscal Court declaring in favor of leasing the remaining toll roads with a view of buying. The proposition to lease \$600,000 worth of bonds to pay for the roads will be submitted to the voters at the coming election next fall.

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trict, subject to the action of the Democratic
party.

THE GOVERNOR'S BAD BREAK.

Governor Bradley has refused the application of the Sheriff of Graves county for a requisition on the Governor or Illinois for Bob Blanks, a negro who brutally assaulted a little white girl. In his refusal the Governor says:

"The wholesale slaughter of negroes by mobs in Graves county and the failure to punish their murderers, satisfies me that to have this man sent back there would be to have him sent to his death, and that he could not obtain even a semblance of a fair trial. If guilty he deserves death, but punishment should be inflicted by law and not by mob. I decline to issue the requisition."

The people of Graves county may be guilty of all that Governor Bradley charges. We will not call in question the truth of the grave charges the Governor brings against the citizens of that county. But if they are true, let us ask, does that justify Governor Bradley in refusing to give the law—the majesty of which the Executive is sworn to uphold—an opportunity to punish a wretch guilty (if he should be so proven) of the blackest crime on our statute books? To our thinking the Governor is only doing that which will make Judge Lynch the more determined to sit upon a case of this sort before the Chief Executive of the State has an opportunity to interfere. This action on the part of the Governor smacks of a grandstand play before the negro voter, who at the last general election exhibited too plain an inclination to vote as he pleased. Let his spring of action be what it may, the decision of the Chief Executive calls for the severest condemnation. It is positively without excuse. He has the whole authority of the State of Kentucky at his back and, if he had cared to do so, could have defended Blanks against all chance of mob violence. Governor Bradley by this action writes himself more a criminal than the people he so severely arraigns.

HOW WILL WE BEAR IT?

Papers published at Puerto Rico as late as May 2nd have been received in New York. Below we give an extract said to be taken from the El Heraldo in its issue of May 2. The El Heraldo, it will be seen, proposes to add to the National Disaster (?) we suffered in the harbor of Manila, yet heavier disgrace. It says:

"After we have sunk your ships we will invade your territory and we will take Washington, New York and Chicago. When we shall have captured McKinley and he is our prisoner we will make him black the boots of our invincible Generals. Our fleet, com-

posed of nine ships and under the command of that brilliant and illustrious sailor, Don Patricio Montejó, has thrashed the Yankee squadron which sailed from Hongkong for the Philippines, forcing it to withdraw after inflicting serious damage, thus teaching the Yankees a lesson."

The Government has established a strict censorship over the press and no news of moment regarding the movements of the warships or of the army is allowed. The enterprise (?) exhibited by some of the so-called yellow journals became absolutely unbearable and after exhausting remonstrance the Government resorted to measures that have pretty effectually cut off the supply of wildly sensational dispatches that heralded to the enemy every movement of our soldiers or ships, often before an order could be executed by those to whom it was directed.

K. J. Hampton, Chairman of the (7th) District Republican Committee, has called his Committee to meet at Jackson on next Tuesday, May 31, to fix time and place for holding the Republican Congressional Convention. There are a number of aspirants for the honor of a nomination so we are informed. Among those we have heard mentioned are Seitz, of Morgan; Parson Hopkins, of Pike; Langley, of Floyd; Marcum, of Breathitt, and Mr. K. J. Hampton, of Clark.

Ex-Mayor George D. Todd, of Louisville, has announced himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Fifth District. Hon. Walter Evans thought he had a walk over for the nomination and Todd's action, it is said, came in the nature of a surprise to even his own immediate friends. Mr. Todd's announcement has caused no small stir in the Republican camp and a mighty effort is being made to frost his boom before it gathers much strength.

The appointment by the President of Algeron Sartoris and Fitzhugh Lee, jr., to be first Lieutenants in the army has been received with general satisfaction by the people of all sections. The one is a grandson of Gen. U. S. Grant and the other a grand-nephew of Gen. R. E. Lee. Each has a great reputation to sustain and it is believed neither will do anything to bring discredit upon his illustrious kinsman.

A Cheerful Idiot says he has never known but three kinds of fools: The natural born fool, the fool for the want of sense and the condemned fool. But the C. I. adds, unless those examining surgeons at Lexington are being most shamefully lied on or there must be a fourth class and these same surgeons must be in that class all by themselves, and be all sorts of a fool in one.

JUDGE COOPER

Is Thrown From His Horse and Sustains a Dislocated Shoulder.

On last Friday while Judge Cooper was riding near Yale in Menefee county, below Frenchburg, his horse took fright, the girl broke and the Judge was thrown to the ground. His shoulder was dislocated. He is expected home in a few days. We hope his injury will soon be relieved.

Strawberry Supper.

There will be a strawberry supper on Friday evening, May 27, on the lawn at the home of Miss O'Rear, given by the Epworth League.

Go and enjoy the feast, refreshment and social converse.

Miss Kate Corbett, who taught a school in Bath county this spring, closed it last week with a nice entertainment.

Wright's Colic Cure regulates the liver and kidneys, cures constipation and sick headache. 50c at all druggists.

The Black Diamond Survey.

The corps of engineers are now at work about sixty miles south of this place, on the head waters of the War Fork of Station Camp creek in Jackson county. They have found a much cheaper and better line, so far, than they expected to get through that section. The survey, after leaving this county, follows Somerset Fork of Hukston creek, crosses the C. & O. near Prewitt, about 3 miles west of Mt. Sterling; thence by Anderson's race track, Levee, Clay City and Irvine, crossing the Kentucky river about 600 feet above the mouth of Station Camp creek. It then follows Station Camp creek to its head. From that point it will go by way of Manchester and Barbourville to Jellico.

There remains about 75 miles of line to survey. When this is done, all field work north of the Tennessee line will have been completed. In the meantime work in the office at Cynthiana, on the estimates, maps and profiles, is being pushed as rapidly as possible. The estimates are completed on the Columbus branch from Dover to Cynthiana, and from Ghent to Sharpburg about one-half is finished. It is intended to rush this work, so that after the engineers reach the Tennessee line, a few days only will be required to complete the survey.

The rights of way are being secured on the Dover branch, and the rights of way maps are finished for the main line from the Ohio river to the crossing of the C. & O. near Mt. Sterling, and in a few days a representative of this company will begin on this line taking them up.

The line as located touches its first coal 55 miles south of this place.—The Bath County World, May 20.

Are You Easily Tired?

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I. O. O. F. Lodge Instituted.

Bath Lodge No. 40, I. O. O. F., was instituted at Salt Lick on last Friday evening, May 20th, by R. G. Elliott, of Lexington, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, assisted by the following members of Watson Lodge No. 32, of this city: J. W. Groves, John W. Taul, W. H. Lee, J. L. Brown, Harry Campbell, Fred Seuler, W. T. Havens, Joe Nathan, S. M. Newmyer, W. H. Clark, J. T. Stockdale, A. M. Cline, J. T. Breese, W. M. Carr and James Turner, and W. F. Schooler, Joe S. Head, Jr., and E. Mair, of Mountain Lodge No. 34, of Morehead, Ky.

W. F. Schooler and J. S. Head, Jr., of Morehead, and Dr. J. W. Robinson, Wm. Whitcomb, Joseph Allen and Sherman Gullett, of Salt Lick, were the petitioners for the charter.

After the institution of the lodge seventeen new members were introduced and instructed in all the degrees of Odd Fellowship.

The following officers for the new lodge were elected and installed: William Whitcomb, N. G.; Dr. J. P. Robbins, V. G.; Sherman Gullett, Secretary; J. H. Campbell, Treasurer; Bert Sewell, Warden; Wm. Green, O. G.; Z. T. Bowman, Conductor; J. H. Oils, I. G.; W. F. Dickerson, R. S.; N. G.; George Martin, I. S.; N. G.; E. L. Anderson, R. S.; Wm. Waddell, I. S.; Lewis Gullett, Chaplain; John Green, R. S.; V. G.; Joe Walton, L. S. to V. G.

The visiting brothers were warmly received by the citizens of Salt Lick, and the open-handed hospitality extended them will be long remembered. The lodge starts out with bright prospects for a long and useful life, and those who took part in its institution hope that it may accomplish all the good that now seemingly lies open to it.

CORRESPONDENCE.

GRASSY LICK.

J. H. Mason lost a 1800-lb steer last week from eating clover.

James Miller, of Clark, attended church at Grassy Lick last Sunday.

W. B. Greene, Park Lyman and W. H. Ramsey attended Winchester court yesterday.

Greene & Lyman shipped a car load of cattle to Cincinnati last week that cost \$3 to \$4.25.

W. N. Ramsey and wife and Mrs. Patton, of Winchester, were visiting relatives in this neighborhood last week.

Grassy Lick will send her full quota of soldiers to fight the Spaniards. There will be about fifteen or twenty, who have enlisted and are ready to start at first orders. All are brave, good boys.

Dr. J. J. Johnson began a series of meetings at Grassy Lick on last Sunday, assisted by Rev. F. S. Hubert, of Jackson. The meeting will hold over next Sabbath. Rev. Hubert is a most excellent preacher.

Wm. Wade died at his home near Wade's Mill on last Wednesday, aged 86. He was a member of the Christian church. The funeral services were conducted by the Revs. Dr. Johnson and D. P. Ware. Burial in family graveyard.

The past week was most favorable for all growing crops. The farmers have taken advantage of the good weather and are well up with all of their work. But little tobacco has been set; plants are backward. Fine prospect for wheat. All grasses are good. There will be about one-half crop of apples and peaches. Full crop of all small fruits.

SPOUT SPRINGS.

James F. McKinney bought a bunch of thirty nice hogs last week at 3 cents.

Tan-bark and the hauling is in full blast as the roads are getting in good condition.

John Burgher, editor of Spout Springs Times, is erecting a new printing office.

Bob English, of College Hill, bought 45 hogs, weight 61 pounds, of W. J. Christopher, at 34 cents.

George Eates, of Montgomery, was in our town Saturday on business, and visiting old friends.

Died, on Saturday, 21st, at his son's on Hardwick's creek, Uncle Sam Neal of droopery. He was 88 years old.

Earnest Hadden, of Montgomery county, is in our neighborhood buying hogs. Hogs are worth \$3.25 per hundred in this place.

George Garrett left his team run of down the Elizabeth McKinney hill last week and his boom chain broke and a railroad tie slipped forward and broke the lead mule's leg. He killed the mule.

Born, May 6th, to B. L. Burgher and wife, a girl; May 7th to W. E. Hefflin and wife, a girl; May 9th, to D. Snowden and wife, a boy; to Dow Barnet and wife, a boy.

Whether you talk war or do not, you must eat. Remember that C. F. Keese's sells meats.

We are in receipt of the following: Mrs. Elizabeth F. Badger. Invite you to be present at the marriage of her sister, Mary E. Baird, to Mr. Jack Smith, Tuesday evening, May twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, at half-past eight o'clock, Methodist Church, Jellico, Tenn.

At Home after June the first, Jellico, Tenn.

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HORSE AND TRACK.

Horses with docked tails are not allowed in the English cavalry.

Don T. 2-06g, will be driven without hoppers this year.

A green trotter named Equily by John-at-Law, at the Village Farm stables, has worked two miles faster than 2-18 this spring.

During his turf career Joe Patchen has won twenty-three first and seventeen second monies, while in eight races he has finished in fourth place or poorer.

Our Boys Go to Cuba.

The Second Regiment Kentucky Volunteers United States Army in camp at Lexington has orders to go to Chicanama to-day. The Regiment will in all probability be sent with the army of occupation to Cuba. It was reported here Saturday that the regiment would be sent to San Francisco to join the expedition that goes to the support of Admiral Dewey in the Philippines.

It is too bad to take medicine, but when compelled to remember Kennedy & Duerson. Right in quality and right in price. 49-4t

Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

On Wednesday, June 1, President McKinley at Washington will touch the button which starts the exposition machinery at Omaha, Neb. By telephone connection his address will be given to the assembled people.

Not some things, but every thing good to eat at C. F. Keese's.

After an enforced suspension of several weeks, caused by lack of logs the Southern Lumber Co.'s big mill at Valley View resumed work on last week, giving employment to the usual number of hands. The Company has a large lot of logs purchased in the mountains, but got only a few thousand by the recent tide.

Fashion plates, periodicals and magazines. 45-4t KENNEDY & DUERSON.

The great daily papers on Sunday had a big sale of papers, telling about the destruction of the Spanish fleet in Cuban waters. No such fight occurred; but the papers were sold, and the eager public will be just as anxious to get another report when the war correspondent gets ready to fake them again.

For a perfect complexion and a clear, healthy skin, use Como Buttermilk Soap. Sold by Thos. Kennedy, Druggist. 45-6t

C. F. Keese's looks like he fares amply every day. He sells meats, sweet, fresh and juicy. Go to him for meat. 45-2t

Be sure to attend the strawberry supper Friday evening.

A business proposition pure and simple: You can save money by buying meat and groceries at C. F. Keese's.

Wash Fabrics

That fairly whisper thoughts of warm days of Summer. Delicate tinted fabrics greet the eye on every side. French, German, English, Scotch, and our own American makes are blended into one bewildering show. Organ-dies join hands with flimsy, airy balistics, linen move ties with dainty dainties, and Scotch zephyrs take their place in the exhibit by the rich foulards of the world's best printers.

Dress Goods for Spring.

If the largest variety to select from at lowest possible prices will win your trade, we are bound to sell you your Spring Costume. This week's show consists in part of BAYADES, GRENADINES, ETAMINES, FRENCH CHALIS, CREPONS, FRENCH BROAD CLOTHS, COVERT CLOTHS, etc., etc.

Lining Department.

We keep good strong linings—the kind that do not pull and stretch. If you have good goods never use inferior linings. We keep the best.

Carpets.

Mattings, Rugs, Carpets, Linoleums. Correct patterns at old-tarif prices. Don't wait too long—prices are going up. We cut and sew them for you. The stock is all new—the largest we have ever had. We excel in the best patterns of Body Brussels and All-Wool full length Super Ingrains.

GRUBBS & HAZELRIGG.

LOUIS H. LANDMAN M. D.

No. 809 W. Ninth Street, CINCINNATI, OHIO

Will be at A. T. Mitchell's, New Farmers' Bank Building,

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1898.

ONE DAY ONLY, returning every Second Thursday in each month.

Notations, every physician of Mt. Sterling.

Wanted: Ten cows to grass, good grass and water and convenient. 43-4t J. G. TRIMBLE.

When you go to Mrs. K. O. Clarke's to buy one of those very stylish new sailors you will also find many other attractions in millinery. 44-3t

To Day the Mighty Hand of Price Begins!

The invasion of our magnificent Stock. No longer can we stay off the destroyer of Legitimate Profit. The backward season is telling in every department of our store. If fact, to tell the story with few words and in plain truth, our business is One Month Behind. This means a great deal more to the merchant than we have room in this advertisement to explain. We have surrendered profit and to day Price begins the bombardment of Honest Values. There is not a corner of our store that the mighty invader has not touched, and no longer shall profit stand between you and your needs for spring and summer wear. Read the following history-making prices and join the army of economical buyers that lead to the store that is for the people.

REDUCED PRICES!

"The acme" of high-class tailoring is portrayed in our great \$10 Suits. The fit, style and trimmings are faultless. Any style or color to fit any man. Gentlemen, \$2.50 is what you save on these Suits. "It's worth while to look."

Young Men's Suits in all the noblest shades and cloths reduced fully 1-3. See them. We show everything in Young Men's Goods.

Swell Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Collars and Cuffs all reduced. Hear our prices. The best makes absolutely.

Big bargains in Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes. All the latest styles here, and for fully 1-3 less than any house in this town.

2100 Linen Collars 10c. 2100 Linen Cuffs at 15c.

Unlaundered Shirts, reinforced front and back, at 48c. All Linen Bosoms.

Men's Cotton Half Hose, blacks and tans, 3 for 25c.

Our Boys' and Children's Department is sparkling with the newest and noblest weaves. A baseball outfit with every Suit. See these prices. We have the goods as advertised.

Boys' Knee Pants Suits at 98c.

Boys' Knee Pants Suits, Union Cheviots, at \$1.25.

Boys' Knee Pants Suits, all-wool, double-knees and seat, non-changeable, \$2.

Knee Pants Suits, extra quality, double knees and seat, at \$2.50 and up.

Boys' Long Pants Suits reduced. Good color and quality, sizes 30 to 36, at \$3.40.

All-wool Suits, light and dark colors, warranted not to fade, sizes 30 to 36, at \$4.40.

Boys' Long Pants Suits, nobby made, Cheviot Cloth, good colors, sizes 30 to 36, \$5.

Your choice of 100 styles of Men's Pure Wool Suits fast color, well-made, trimmed and finished, for \$5, if you need clothes. They are worth fully \$2 more. Show your judgment now. See 'em.

\$7 to day will buy in this store a pure Wool Suit warranted not to fade; well tailored and trimmed, that's worth \$10. "Today fortune smiles."

The tailor-made man ought to get down good and strong on these suits at the price. Faultless garments made in 5th Avenue fashion by the greatest tailors in the world in foreign and domestic cloths for \$15. "Gentlemen, a look will convince you."

Men's Union Cheviot Suits in light and dark colors, sack and, frock worth \$6.50, for \$3.98. "The early bird gets the best."

Our Hat Department contains the product of the best manufacturers in the land in soft, stiff and straw goods. Wait and see the correct styles in Hopkins' Straw Hats. Unlike any others in town and strictly correct. All prices.

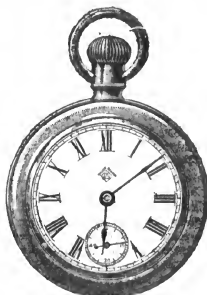
WALSH BROS.,

W. MAIN STREET,

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Useful and Ornamental Presents Free!

With every cash purchase of 25c or over from this date (April 27) until Sept. 1, 1898, the customer will receive a coupon to the amount of purchase. When \$25 worth of these coupons are received you will be entitled to one of the following articles: A guaranteed bronze clock or watch; a handsome Hat Rack and Mirror; a handsome Picture, "The Last Supper," "St. Cecilia," or your choice of half a dozen different style Medallions. They are free to the patrons of our store. See that you receive a coupon with every purchase.



Thinks Well of the Judge.

The lecture of Judge O'Rear at the College Chapel Tuesday night was well worth hearing. He is an earnest, thoughtful man, and the ablest Republican in the district, if not in Eastern Kentucky, and one who will take a high place in political life if he lives. -Winchester Democrat.

CASTORIA.

Warren Stoner is engaged in an effort to raise a company of cavalry at this place. He has secured more than one hundred signatures to the pledge he has circulated. On Wednesday there was a meeting of the boys who had signed their willingness to serve their country and an election of officers was held. Warren Stoner was elected Captain; Robert Howell, First Lieutenant, and Roger Barnes, Second Lieutenant. Mr. Stoner went to Frankfort Thursday and made an effort to have the company accepted by the Governor. He failed in this and later went to Washington to see what could be accomplished in the way of getting the troop accepted for immediate service.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP OF PEPIN CURES INDIGESTION.

The U. S. armored cruiser, Charleston, sailed from San Francisco Wednesday in an attempt to carry supplies to Admiral Dewey at Manila. The boat had not gotten very far out to sea before it was discovered that there was trouble with part of her machinery and she had to put back into harbor for repairs.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

How much business can a man do whose system is in a state of disorder? Headache is only a symptom. It is not a disease. The pain in the head is the sign of rebellion. There have been mistakes in diet and other abuses.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a gentle, effective renovator and invigorator of stomach, liver and bowels. They assist nature without threatening to tear the body piece-meal. There are no gripping pains, no nausea. One is a laxative.

A book of 1008 pages, profusely illustrated, written by Dr. R. V. Pierce, called the "People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," will be sent free for 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only. World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Rebecca Gillispie is the Post-mistress at the new postoffice in this county. Stoop is the name of the new office and it is located at the junction of the Hinkston and Van Thompson pikes.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Throat Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be made free of life, nerve and vigor, take No. 20. Bids, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or 60c. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

The election of Trustees of the Mt. Sterling Graded School will be held at the jail office on Saturday, June 4.

On Wednesday night some one entered Dr. R. Q. Drake's residence on Mayville street and robbed him of a number of articles of value. The party went to the room where the Doctor was sleeping and secured a valuable gold watch and other articles of less worth. A pocket book was taken from the Doctor's pocket; the money in it, probably not over ten dollars, was taken, but the papers, checks, notes, etc., were discarded. No clue, as yet, to the thief.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Dr. J. C. H. Brooks, of Guthrie, Oklahoma, arrived here on Thursday evening to join his wife and children, who came a few days back on a visit to their many friends. Mr. Brooks went from this place to Oklahoma as a Cleveland appointee. He filed with honor the position of District Attorney of the Territory for four years and has won in the home of his adoption almost as many friends as he has in the State of his nativity.

A little boy asked for a bottle of 'get up in the morning as fast as you can,' the druggist recognized a household name for DeWitt's Little Early Risers and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles.

Judge E. C. O'Rear lectured before the students of Kentucky Wesleyan College at Winchester on Tuesday last on "The Citizen and the Law." Judge O'Rear is a forceful speaker and always handles his subject in a manner that is thoroughly interesting to his audience. The Judge did not fail in his address at Winchester to keep up his reputation as a thinker and a pleasing speaker.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of S. S. Priest & Co., of Sideview, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. S. S. Priest is authorized to collect and receipt for all bills due the firm. Those knowing themselves indebted to S. S. Priest & Co. will come forward and settle at once. S. S. Priest & Co., May 2, '98. Side View, Ky.

Mr. George M. Roberts will continue the business at the old stand and we earnestly ask that the same liberal patronage extended to us be continued to him. Respectfully, S. S. Priest & Co.

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In Clark Circuit Court the case of Tyler and Apperson against George H. Hamilton, administrator of James Hamilton, resulted in a verdict for Hamilton.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by J. B. Tipton.

JUST RECEIVED SPRING STOCK!

Having received my Spring Stock of Carpets, Matting, Rugs and Linoleums, I now quote you prices: Best 10 Wire Tapestry Brussels, 70c; good Brussels, 55c; Matting from 12 1/2c to 40c; Rugs very low. A complete stock of these goods.

My two Large Rooms are Loaded with Bargains

In Bed Room Suits, Side Boards, Divans, Bed Lounges, Fancy and Plain Chairs, Book Cases, Hat Racks, Tables, and everything kept in a first-class, up-to-date Furniture and Carpet House. I will not be undersold.

UNDERTAKING.

Having purchased the handsomest Funeral Car in Eastern Kentucky, and keeping a full line of Casket Robes, and everything in this line, I am ready to wait on the trade, night or day, and ask a continuance of your patronage. Guarantee satisfaction.

W. A. SUTTON, Fizer Bu'g, opp. Court-House, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

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Dr. J. C. H. Brooks, of Guthrie, Oklahoma, arrived here on Thursday afternoon 50 cavalrymen who had enlisted at Louisville, Ky., under Lieutenant W. O. Johnson, passed through this city en route to Atlanta, Ga.

Early last week to Ed Glover and wife, near Flat Creek, a daughter.

A bonnet of artistic skill adds to the attractiveness of lovely women. Do you want such a bonnet for such a woman? You can be suited at Mrs. B. Kenney's on East Main street. Her goods are new and store neat and cozy. -44-21

We have an unusually large stock of coffee on hand and are in position to make you close prices on any grade you may desire. A. BATH & SON.

Conductor's Story

A Friend Put Him on the Track to Good Health

Had Been Laid Up for Two Months with Dizzy Spells.

"I have had a stomach trouble for the past three years and last winter I was so bad that I could not work for over two months. I would have dizzy spells when I could not get out of bed, and when I was lying down it seemed as though there was a hard lump in my stomach. The medicine given me afforded relief only for a time. A friend advised me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, which I did, and after taking six bottles I am glad to say I never felt better in my life. I do not have any dizzy spells and do not feel the lump in my stomach." A. JACKSON, Passenger Conductor, P. C. C. and St. Louis Ry., 600 15th St., Louisville, Kentucky.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Is the best to cure the One True Blood Purifier. Based upon Hood's, take no substitute.

Hood's Pills are gentle, mild, effective. All druggists.

John D. Rockefeller, the "Billionaire," has sent the Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville a check for \$4,500, his annual gift to the institution.

Five members of a family living at Madisonville, Kentucky, were poisoned by drinking milk. The milk had been set out over night, and had evidently been tampered with.

To Cure Constipation forever. Take Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Col. Castleman has adopted the plan of posting as decoys those members of the companies who leave for home before they have given the officers a chance to have them ministered to the service.

Thousands of sufferers from grippe have been restored to health by One Minute Cough Cure. It quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe, asthma, and all throat and lung diseases.

J. B. Tipton.

We heard a farmer abusing the railroads the other day for not reducing their rates for hauling troops and fifteen minutes after that we heard him praise a government contractor a fifty dollar horse at one hundred dollars.—Carlinville Mercury.

It is better not to do so much than to do so much that it is so.—Josh Billings.

That seems to hit all this Journalism guessing about the location of Cervera's fleet.—Cincinnati Post.

Harbeson & Gathright, of Louisville, have secured a government contract to furnish several thousand sets of artillery harness and as many cavalry saddles. The firm's force of employees has been largely increased to fill the order and every department is working to the utmost capacity.

Captain S. H. Poe has been working faithfully to try and raise the required number (77) to form a company of soldiers to go to Lexington, but those who were so anxious to go two weeks ago have backed down when they found it to be a reality.—Carlinville Mercury.

The Georgetown Street Railway and Ice Plant was sold publicly on Monday in pursuance of an order of the Circuit Court, and was knocked down to Mr. J. D. Grover, of the Georgetown Light and Water Co., at \$25,000. Mr. Ben A. Lair was the only contending bidder. The plant was sold on April court day for \$29,000, but as the purchaser, Mr. C. H. Williams, was unable to make a bond, a second sale was necessary.—Georgetown Times.

The Dangers of Spring

Which arise from impurities in the blood and a depleted condition of this vital fluid may be entirely averted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine cures all spring humors, boils, eruptions and sores, and by enriching and vitalizing the blood, it overcomes that feeble feeling and gives vitality and vigor.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, biliousness and all liver ills. Price 25 cents.

Two Big Birds

Sunday afternoon Joe Ballenger, of this city, killed on the Mt. Home place, a blue heron that measured four feet in length and six feet from tip to tip. Thursday morning Louis Urban who lives on the Lexington pike, several miles from this city, killed an owl that measured three feet and nine inches from tip to tip.—Winchester Democrat.

THE MIGHTY DOLLAR.

A French Appeal to France Not to Hurt Itself for the Sake of Spain.

While it is very true that France's sympathy with Spain in her quarrel with the Yankees is most natural and most proper, still its expression should be kept within prudent limits, and it should not be allowed to come between the Parisian tradesman and the American dollar. It is for some of our good Parisian journals, and also for those of Marseilles, to bear this in mind before it is too late, and by a few freely turned phrases concerning friendship between Washington and Lafayette recall the excited Yankees to a remembrance of their great obligations to France.—From the Paris Journal.

It Will Do You Good.

Are you constipated? Do you have sick headaches? Is your nervous system, liver or kidneys out of order? If so, cure yourself by using Wright's Celery Tonic. It improves the complexion. Price 25c, sold by W. S. Lloyd, Drugist.

BARRED HIM OUT.

A "Yellow" Journalist Forbidden For His Dishonorable Enterprize.

Washington, May 18.—A news bulletin issued by the Navy Department to-day contained the following: "An order has been issued by the department forbidding the presence of Sylvester Scott, newspaper correspondent, aboard the vessels of the navy or at any naval station on account of his conduct in stowing himself away on board the tug Uncas on the recent visit of that vessel to Havana, he having been refused permission to go as a passenger." Scott is a correspondent for the New York World and has been conspicuous in Havana newspaper work ever since the Cuban insurrection assumed extensive proportions.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Toledo, Ohio.

We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by the firm.

West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio, Wadling, Kinsman & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Pills are the best.

A Numerous Order.

A well-known Washington woman was doing the cathedral city of England last summer. Throughout her tour she wore a tiny American flag pinned to the waist of her traveling dresses. A good many of the English people whom she met did not understand, or pretended not to understand, what the flag stood for.

"You belong to some secret society, I perceive," said an English woman to whom she was introduced, pointing to the diminutive starry banner. "Yes," responded the Washington woman amiably, "there are 70,000,000 of us."—Washington Post.

One Fare

For round trip to Lexington, account the League American Wheelmen Meeting, June 20th and 21st, from all points in Kentucky, Queen & Crescent Route. Good to June 22d to return. Bicycles handled free. 45-3t

A TRAIN LOAD

Of Ambulances For the Army Shipped to Mobile.

South Bend, Ind., May 18.—Studebaker Brothers Manufacturing Company shipped to-day seventeen cars of ambulances to Mobile, Ala., for the use of the Government. The shipment made a solid train and is the fourth train load of ambulances and government wagons shipped by this concern.

The Christian Church had an increase in membership in 1897 of 40,000.

COLONIAL DANCES ACT.

Don't Want a Spanish Picture of Washington—No French Millinery.

The Society of Colonial Dames had two topics up for discussion at a meeting in Philadelphia on Wednesday, and disposed of both of them in brisk fashion. One was a proposition to purchase from persons in New York for \$10,000 a life-size portrait of Washington painted by Charles W. Peale in 1770 for Don Juan Maricao, Spanish Minister to the United States, and recently purchased at Cadiz from a firm of Spanish bankers who held it as collateral. The Dames decided not to purchase it. The other topic was sprung by Mrs. John Harrison, who had read letters from friends abroad revealing the animosity of the French public and the Parisian press to the people of the United States. Mrs. Harrison proposed a resolution to request all members of the society to refrain from purchasing any of the dress products or imported millinery from France. The resolution carried like a flash.

ENVELOPE MAKERS UNITE.

A Syndicate Representing 90 Per Cent. of the Output of Commercial Envelopes.

Springfield, Mass., May 17.—Ten large envelope companies have been consolidated into a syndicate to be known as the United States Envelope Company. The total capital is \$7,000,000, of which \$2,000,000 will be in bonds and the rest in capital stock. The total output of the companies represented is 17,000,000 envelopes a day which is 90 per cent. of the output of commercial envelopes.

Chicago Bakers Raise Prices.

Chicago, May 17.—Beginning next Monday bread, which now retails at five cents a loaf, will cost six cents at retail and five cents wholesale. This agreement was signed by one-fourth of the bakers of Chicago at a secret meeting held in Jung's Hall.

The cause of the advance is the increase in the price of wheat. The agreement compels the bakers to sell one-pound loaves at six cents and two-pound loaves at twelve cents until further notice. It also binds the signers not to seek unfairly to undermine the trade of fellow bakers. There are 200,000 loaves of bread used daily in Chicago, so that purchasers will pay \$2,000 per day more for bread.

The Vote of the Tenth Congressional District.

The following is the vote by counties of the Tenth Congressional district as based on the Bryan vote of 1890:

Powell 3, Lee 3, Clark 10, Montgomery 8, Elliott 4, Breathitt 6, Maxson 4, Knott 4, Menefee 3, Morgan 5, Elliott 5, Johnson 4, Floyd 7, Martin 3, Pike 8, Wolfe 6, Tor 86.

Necessary to a choice 43 and a fraction.

Foul-Smelling Catarrh.

Catarrh is one of the most obstinate diseases, and hence the most difficult to get rid of.

There is but one way to cure it. The disease is in the blood, and all the which other remedies mixtures in the world can have no permanent effect whatever upon it. Swift's Specific Catarrh Cure permanently, for it is the only remedy which can reach the disease and force it from the blood.

Mr. B. P. McAllister, of Harrodsburg, Ky., had Catarrh for years. He writes: "I could not see no improvement, though I was constantly treated with sprays and washes and inhaling mixtures. Finally I was brought to the point where I was told that Catarrh was a blood disease, and that I must reach the blood to expect to be cured. I reached the blood by using Swift's Specific Catarrh Cure, and after a few bottles were used, I noticed a perceptible improvement. Continuing the remedy, the disease was forced out of my system, and a complete cure was the result. I advise all who have this dreadful disease to get the Swift's Specific Catarrh Cure, and see them as you get, and take it all, a remedy that will reach the blood and cure the disease." To continue the wrong treatment for Catarrh is to continue to suffer. Swift's Specific is a real blood remedy, and cures obstinate, deep-seated diseases, and all other remedies have no effect whatever upon it. It promptly reaches Catarrh, and never fails to cure even the most obstinate case.

S.S.S. For the Blood
A Purely Vegetable, and is the only blood remedy guaranteed to contain no dangerous minerals. Books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

ED. MITCHELL,
Hardware, Queensware, Tinware, Woodenware.
Stoves, and a full Line of Agricultural Implements.

THE VULCAN still takes the lead over all other Plows. They have now a new patented Corrugated Point, which is self-sharpening, and made of the best Lake Superior charcoal iron. This feature alone will make the plow worth twice as much as any other plow sold to-day. This point sells the same as heretofore, 40 cents.

I am also agent for Stoddard's New Tiger and Climax Disc Harrows, Evans Drag Harrows and Corn Planters, and the Celebrated Mitchell Wagon. 13 South Mayfield Street.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

(IN KENTUCKY.)

Schedule in effect May 1, 1893.

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Trains Run by Central Standard Time.

Ask for tickets via Kentucky Midland Schedule of trains.

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Needs of the Day.

We have found out in less than a month of war that we need greatly in the navy many things which we have not.

We need torpedo boat destroyers, of greater speed, and cost endurance than exist at present elsewhere. Of these three qualities the standard of speed can best be left unimproved and permitted to remain where it is, at thirty knots.

We need scout boats, of size enough to keep the sea and spend enough for rapid courier work, far smaller in size than the Harvard and Yale, but still big enough to carry more than a week's burning of coal, and faster by seven or eight knots at least.

We need troop ships, and the department of hospital ships must be supplied.

We need coilers, not too bulky for speed, and of enormous size, ships as big or bigger than the Emperor William the Great. These must be fitted with some sort of elevator by which the fighting boats can be hoisted at sea. And every one of the latter class, particularly the monitors, should be fitted with a crane that can take in coal any reasonable weather.

We need more armored cruisers, boats capable of very rapid movement and which, while not the first choice for a hunt for battleships, would lose all their audacious and confidence when a battleship heavier in eight. The Spanish are well equipped in this respect.

To sum up the needs of the navy, we want it bigger in all respects—more battleships, more monitors, more cruisers, armored and unarmored, and more other craft, equipped with more rapid-firing guns and more Dewey; though not for a moment do we suggest that the navy men now under the Stars and Stripes are not all Dewey. And lastly we need the Nicaragua Canal and the Sandwich Islands. Like the navy, these two possessions are needed for peace as well as war. —New York Sun.

Commencement Exercises.

The annual commencement exercises of Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester, this year will be as follows:

Monday, June 8th, 3 p. m., annual meeting of Board of Curators.

Tuesday, June 10, 10 a. m., Graduating Exercises. 7:30 p. m., Joint entertainment of Literary Societies.

Wednesday, June 10th, 10 a. m., Baccalaureate Sermon by Bishop Chas. B. Galloway, of Mississippi.

The College Academy Commencement will be held as follows:

Kentucky Wesleyan Academy, Burnside, Ky., June 3rd. Annual Sermon by Rev. W. A. Cooper, of Georgetown. Annual Address by Hon. T. C. Needham, of Williams-town.

Kentucky Wesleyan Academy, Campton, Ky., June 3rd. Annual Sermon by Rev. Geo. H. Means, of Frankfort. Annual Address by Hon. Ed. C. O'Rear, of Mt. Sterling.

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So it seems that after all Dewey turns out to be an Irishman of the clan Duffy of the county Caran. From the way he fought this is not surprising.—Lexington Leader.

Man Wanted.

I have an order for a 6 or 6 year old mare. Must be a good saddle and drive gentler; 104 hands high and sound. —ANA BEAN.

MARCH 4 OR MAY 4.

Reasons For a Change in the Date of Presidential Inauguration.

Last Tuesday the United States Senate adopted a resolution substituting May 4 for March 4 as the date for the inauguration of the President and the meeting of Congress. After the adoption by two-thirds of each House of Congress, the assent of three-quarters of the States, through their Legislatures, will be necessary to make such an amendment to the Constitution and to render it operative in the year 1901.

The resolution provides for the continuation of the terms of the President, Vice-President, Senators, and Representatives two months beyond the time as now fixed by the constitution, the chief reason for the change being the unfavorable condition of the weather at Washington in early March, tempestuous, uncertain and wholly unfitted for the open air exercises incidental to the inauguration of a President. Originally April 30 was the date of inauguration. George Washington having been installed as the first President on that date in New York City in 1789; and in the resolution as introduced by Senator Hoar there was proposed merely a return to April 30, though as adopted the day was carried forward to May 4. In 1793 and 1797 March 4 having meanwhile been fixed upon as inauguration day, the President was inaugurated at Philadelphia. Washington became the seat of Government by an act passed in 1790, and Congress first assembled there in November of 1800. On March 4, 1801, Jefferson was inaugurated at Washington, and all inaugurations have been in that city on that day except when, as was the case in 1821, 1849, and 1877, the 4th of March fell on Sunday.

Experience has proved that usually the condition of the weather in Washington on inauguration day is not propitious. When Monroe was inaugurated in 1817, there was snow; in 1833 when Jackson took the oath the thermometer stood at 20 degrees; Polk, in 1845, took the oath in the snow; in 1849 when Taylor was inaugurated, it rained too at Lincoln's second inauguration and when Grant was first inducted into office. There was snow at the inauguration of Garfield, rain at the inauguration of Harrison, and a blizzard at the second inauguration of Cleveland.—N. Y. Sun.

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Tornado in Kansas.

Kingman, Kas., May 18.—A destructive tornado swept over the western part of this county last night about 6 o'clock. The town of Cunningham was almost swept away. The cloud traveled in a northwest direction, demolishing a few houses, and leveling the town of Wichita. At Western depot and part of the business and residence sections of the town. Only five houses are left standing in the track of the storm, which was 200 yards wide. Nobody was seriously injured.

When a man is sick his work rises all instead of his riding his work. His daily task instead of being the means which supports and carries him on to comfort and prosperity becomes a source of weighing him down. He feels no strength, no ambition, he feels that there is nothing to do but to stay along until the awful pressure of disease and trouble of last day has taken him to earth.

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THE PAY OF PARLIAMENTS.

Boers elect the Largest Salaries, but Our Senators Have Valuable Privileges.

So far as payments in hard cash go the brawny burghers of the Transvaal are decidedly the best off. Quite recently the Boer parliament increased the salaries of its members to \$6,000 a year for each individual, as they can very easily afford to do, when one remembers the big tax rolls which the unfurnished outlanders are compelled to pay. But in actual emoluments the United States senator probably receives a better reward. He gets mileage and numerous minor fees and privileges, which swell his annual income materially over its nominal \$5,000.

Great Britain, as every student knows, gives her members of parliament no salaries, though government officials for the time being are royally paid. The first lord of the treasury receives \$25,000, as also do the foreign, home, colonial, Indian and war secretaries. The lord chancellor receives \$50,000 per annum. But for the M. P. who does not hold office there is naught save honor. Even the old privilege of not being liable to arrest for debt while an M. P. has been abolished.

The British colonies, however, do not follow the example of the mother country. New South Wales and Victoria allow their M. P.'s \$1,500 per annum, Canada and South Australia \$1,000, with an additional mileage rate for the former, and Queensland \$750, with mileage. New Zealand representatives get \$1,200.

France gives its senators and deputies \$1,800, but there is a "stratagem" to this salary which might be tried elsewhere, in Vienna, for instance, with good effect. Any member who is twice called to order during a sitting forfeits half his salary for two weeks. Cases exist where certain fiery French deputies have lost their entire year's allowances in this manner.

Belgium grants members of the representatives' chamber \$850 a year and passes on the railroads, but, curiously enough, makes its senators vote for nothing and pay their own traveling expenses.

In the realm of the little queen of Holland members of the upper house are paid a sum equal to about \$4.18 per diem for each session, but since they meet only on 30 or 32 days in the year they cannot be said to clear much. In the second chamber \$850 per annum, with a traveling grant of 27 cents for every hour spent on the railroad, are the allowances. Dutch legislators forfeit their salaries, whether their absence be caused by illness or not.

The new Japanese parliamentary constitution compels each member of the national parliament to draw annually from the treasury about \$65. Any member of the aristocratic classes refusing to accept this despatch through pride or other reasons is subject to fine and dismissal by the parliamentary rules of 1900.

Portugal is ludicrously with its representatives, giving them only \$320, and Norway pays members from \$350 to \$400, according to the length of the session. In Sweden members of the upper house serve absolutely for patriotism and the lower chamber members get only \$326. Moreover, \$7.75 per diem is deducted for nonattendance. Even the unpaid upper house is fined for absenteeism, although its members get nothing—not even train fares.

The Greek lawgiver is a \$360 per annum man, with additions for overtime work (such as in the recent war). It was suggested recently that these salaries should be "doctored" slightly, so as to help pay the Turkish indemnity, but the idea was condemned promptly. Switzerland gives her councilors something less than \$5 a week, with about 6 cents a day for traveling expenses.—New York Sun.

Bishops Elected.

The General Conference of the M. E. Church, South, in session the past week in Baltimore on Friday elected Dr. A. Chandler, of Oxford, Ga., and Dr. H. C. Morrison, of Nashville, Tenn., Bishops of the Church. Dr. E. H. Egan, of Nashville, also received votes enough to elect him to an election.

Both Dr. Chandler and Morrison are men of learning and piety. Dr. Morrison is well known in Kentucky, and has many friends in Mt. Sterling, who esteem him most highly and are glad of the deserved honor conferred on him. Dr. Morrison is not only one of the brainiest, but as well one of the most Godly men in the church.

The style of hair dressing has much to do with a lady's appearance. A fine line of hair—switches, pompadours and bang combs, together with an assortment of collars and cuffs for shirt waists can be had from Mrs. K. O. Clark. 44-3.

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WAR SITUATION.

The Monitor, Monterey, Ordered to the Philippines.

Stoker's Cavalry Troop Not Accepted Under This Call.

The Charleston Again En Route to Manila With Supplies.

108,000 NOW READY FOR ACTION.

The monitor, Monterey, the most formidable fighting vessel on the Pacific coast, has been ordered to the Philippines to reinforce Admiral Dewey's fleet. This vessel is probably the most formidable monitor in the world and can, if given a position in the mouth of Manila harbor, withstand the onslaught of any vessel Spain has in her fleet. This great fighting machine carries two 12-inch and two 10-inch guns, six 6-pounders, four 4-pounders and two Gatling guns. Her personnel is 19 officers and 172 men. She only has coal capacity sufficient to carry about coal enough for a trip of 2,000 miles. So will have to go to Honolulu, about one-third of the way, and after re-coaling proceed on her trip till her coal supply is exhausted, and then either be towed the last two thousand miles to Manila or perform the very difficult task of re-coaling at sea. The Monterey is noted for its wonderful seaworthiness, considering its class. It will prove a tower of strength to Admiral Dewey.

Warren Stoner returned from Washington Sunday evening. He failed to get the local cavalry troop, organized at this place, accepted under the present call. Mr. Stoner says he was assured by those in a position to know that there would be a second call and that there would be no difficulty in the company finding an opening in the ranks of the army under the coming call.

The surgeons, who have been so seriously criticized for the many rejections in the ranks of the volunteers at Lexington, attempted to defend themselves by saying that many of the men rejected had alleged disabilities. The rejected ones gave the lie to the charge by promptly making application for re-examination. The vigorous kick made against the number of rejections on Thursday and Friday had its effect in the large fall off in the per cent. of rejections on Saturday. From about twenty-seven per cent on Thursday and Friday they fell to less than ten per cent. on Saturday.

The Charleston started again on Saturday for Manila with supplies for Admiral Dewey. The small amount of damage to her condensers was soon repaired and her fear of another accident a second set of tubes were carried along in her hold.

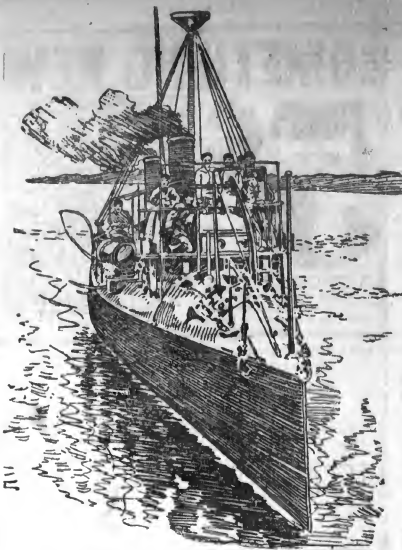
Major General Wesley Merritt and staff of the United States Army have started for San Francisco, whence General Merritt will sail for Manila at once. He is to be Military Governor of the island and will have at present an army of 15,000 to 20,000 troops to support him. There will be about 4,000 regulars among those sent to the Philippines. Detachments will be started as fast as ships can be secured to carry them. The policy of the Government seems to be at once to take charge of the Philippines Islands.

Below we give the names of Montgomery's boys who have enlisted, and who will, in all probability, see active service before long: J. H. Jones, Dilford Hadden, William and Benj.

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Senators, Russell Barbee, Ernest H. Myrbel, Arthur Fitzpatrick, J. Yedell, Charley Pittman, Levi Fraumeni, Clarence Leach, Edward Ruppard, Taylor Apperson, and John Stull.

Adjutant General Corbin reports that 106,000 troops have been mustered into the United States service up to this time. The entire number embraced in the President's call will be mustered in before the week has closed.

The strict censorship exercised by the Government over all war news renders it difficult to give any reliable information of the movements of the American or Spanish fleets in Cuban waters. The Spanish Admiral, Cervera, was refused the privilege of coaling and victualing his fleet at Cienfuegos. He was short of both coal and provisions, it is stated. The authorities were determined to maintain their neutrality, however, and denied the Spaniards the privilege of staying in the harbor to secure shelter. The Spanish fleet then sailed for the South coast of Cuba and entered the harbor of Santiago. The last reliable information from the Spanish fleet was that it had not left Santiago de Cuba. News, how reliable it cannot be said, comes that Sampson and Schley are each heading down on the Spanish fleet, coming from opposite directions, with the hope to intercept it and force a battle.

There was a wild story sent out Sunday morning to the effect that Sampson had met Cervera in the Windward Passage and a battle had ensued in which twelve Spanish ships had been sunk and four taken, while the American fleet suffered only damage to two vessels. It is needless to say the story originated in the fertile brain of some war correspondent, who, since Dewey's wonderful victory in Manila harbor, thinks the American public will swallow any old story, no matter how wild and improbable it is.

DRUMMED OUT OF CAMP.

Sam S. Tyler, a private of company F, Louisville Legion, gave as his excuse why he would not sign the muster roll for enlistment in the army that he did not like the ration provided. The skulker was drummed out of camp by the other members of the company with a series of exercises that were far more interesting to the other participants than to Tyler. The men of company F are determined to serve notice on all skinkers and cowards that there is no room in their tents for such.

The Administration seems suddenly to have waked up to the necessity of sending support to Admiral Dewey

at once. The City of Pekin, the Sidney and the Australia, all large steamships, will sail from San Francisco for Manila to-day with 2,500 men and officers aboard, together with supplies and ammunition for our navy in the Philippines. There will be about 4,600 more troops started this week for Manila. In less than two weeks an army of 14,000 men will have started on its way to give support to Admiral Dewey and General Merritt in occupying the islands.

Spain is threatening to send a formidable fleet to Manila to dislodge Dewey. It is not believed she will be able to carry out this threat.

Nothing is positively known of the whereabouts of either of the American or of the Spanish fleets in the West Indies. It would surprise no one to hear of a very bloody battle in that quarter of the world within the next few days. This will not happen if Admiral Cervera can prevent it, since the very generally received opinion is that he hopes to be re-enforced by a number of vessels from the Cadiz fleet before he meets either Sampson or Schley.

It is very generally believed by those who are hear to sources of information that the invasion of Cuba is not many days off. It is known that convoys and transports for the troops have been provided and a surprise may be in store for Captain General Blanco at a very early day.

The battleship Oregon, it is said, has joined Sampson's fleet. This great fighting machine, by the way, would be no small addition to any war fleet.

Not Deserters.

Gov. Bagley has ruled that the boys who have left the camps at Lexington cannot be treated as deserters. The ruling is that since they are State soldiers and have not been mustered in they are not amenable to the United States regulations; in fact the Kentucky troops are not in service. They were ordered to Lexington with a view to accepting service in the United States army. They are not subject to the discipline of State troops under orders and in actual State service, for which they receive pay, hence cannot be arrested and taken back. It is optional with them whether or not they go with the United States army.

For Rent.

The best store room and most popular stand for any retail business in Eastern Kentucky; now occupied by J. B. Tipton, on corner Main and Mayville streets. Address

T. G. JULIAN, Frankfort, Ky.

Thirty third Annual Sunday School Convention.

The Annual State Convention of the Kentucky Sunday-school Union will be held in Paducah on June 14, 15 and 16. A most attractive and practical program has been arranged. Well known and experienced speakers will discuss topics of vital importance to Sunday school workers.

The music will be in charge of Prof. Charles Davis, who is training a chorus of Paducah singers.

Delegates.—Every Sunday-school in the State is entitled to one delegate for each hundred members or fraction thereof.

Entertainment will be provided for all accredited delegates on condition that their names are enrolled on or before June 13 with Rev. W. H. Pinkerton at Paducah.

Transportation.—All the railroads in the State have made a rate of one fare for the round trip on presentation of credentials.

Credentials may be obtained from county officers, or from the State Secretary at Room 19, Louisville Trust Building, Louisville. 45-2t

From a Methodist Preacher.

Clay City, Ind., Jan. 13, 1897. People's Synod Co., Monticello, Ill. Gentlemen:—It affords me great pleasure to speak in praise of your most excellent medicine. I have suffered quite a great deal from sick headache, the result of sedentary habits and sluggish liver and bowels. Your remedy corrects these troubles and my headache are stopped.

J. C. BOON, Pastor M. E. Church, Forsyth by W. S. Lloyd. 4t

President Cave's Lecture.

On Friday evening Rev. R. Lin Cave, President of Kentucky University, delivered at the court house in this city, his eloquent lecture on the "Life and Character of Gen. Robert E. Lee." Mr. Cave's delineation of Lee's character was so fulsome and so of a great man, but was a picture of those traits that served to blind men to this great general with books of steel. The side lights thrown on the picture by the lecturer in the way of illustration by scene and incident, were so effective that Mr. Cave carried his audience with him and made them see the wonderful man he was telling of, just as he appeared to the speaker. Mr. Cave is an orator, who, while telling a wonderful forcefulness of thought under a seeming simplicity of speech, succeeds in holding the attention and riveting his ideas into the minds of his hearers without their suspecting it. Those who heard this lecture were fortunate. Those who missed it lost a rarely delightful intellectual treat.

For assorted fruit butter in three pound cans at 10c. go to A. Baum & Son's.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

There was no improvement in the tobacco market yesterday. As a result the condition of dissatisfaction amongst dealers continues to prevail. The offerings were very light, and composed entirely of inferior grades. Even with these the market lacked animation very decidedly, no sales coming up to expectation. Red leaf, red tips, and desirable qualities of color grades can not be found on the market. Common lugs were rather stronger, though the dark market showed no change for least. The total sales amounted to 80 hogsheads.—Commercial May 21.

M. L. Youn, Cameron, Pa., says: "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pills, remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Cure, as recommended to me, cured me. It has effected a permanent cure." As permanent cure for piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal.

J. B. TIPTON.

Captain John Feland, of the Latham Guards, Hopkinsville's crack company, has been deposed by Gov. Bradley. Feland declares the action on Bradley's part was dictated by political prejudice, and says he will make a full statement soon. Adjutant General Collier says Feland was dismissed for drunkenness and gross neglect of duty.

List of Claims.

The tax-payers of the county will be interested in the list of claims allowed at the April term of Fiscal Court, and which will be printed in this paper next week.

Tempting Values

TO ALL WHO STUDY ECONOMY!

Demonstrations of our great power of value giving are presented daily. Words of explanation—the why or wherefore—would be superfluous here. Our low prices and the quality of the up-to-date goods we carry give the whole matter in a nutshell, and there we let it rest and at the same time continue to hustle. Look at our prices, study them, and be convinced that the Louisville Store is the safest place in Mt. Sterling to trade.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

35c Each for Ladies' Percal Waists in neat plaids and stripes—not the ordinary cheap waists, such as the town seems to be flooded with just now, but a real good quality, something you cannot buy elsewhere for less than 75c.

HOSE.

50 Dozen Ladies' full regular fast black Cotton Hose, a good 25c quality, now at 15c. Ladies' Seamless Striped Hose, in pretty colors, guaranteed stainless, now go at 10c. Ladies' Fancy Striped Boot Pattern Hose, good colors, extra good quality, for 20c. Ladies' Fast Colors Black Hose, with white feet, regular 20c quality, now 12½c.

Children's Black Ribbed Hose, fast colors, 10c. Children's Black Hose 5c.

Ladies' Black Hose, 5c. Men's Full Seamless Socks, in cream, black and tan, regular 15c quality, now 9c. Men's Heavy Farm Socks, 8½c. Men's Heavy Cotton Socks, a real good value, at 5c.

RIBBONS.

25c For striking novelties, in All Silk, extra quality plaid and small check Ribbons, for hat or dress trimmings. 34c For stylish extra quality All Silk Navy Blue and White Striped Ribbons, 4 inches wide, for ties, worth everywhere 50c.

BED SPREADS.

47c For White Honey Comb Bed Spreads, good size, neat patterns. 73c For White Honey Comb Bed Spreads, good size, ready hemmed, new patterns, worth \$1.00. \$1.15 For large size White Honey Comb Bed Spreads in the newest designs, worth \$1.50.

DRESS SKIRTS.

\$1.64 For Ladies' Black or Blue Serge Dress Skirts, velvet binding, 3½ yards wide, and latest style. \$1.15 For Ladies' Serge Skirts, good width and perfectly lined. They are beauties.

LADIES' VESTS FOR WARM WEATHER.

50c For Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Ecu Vests, taped neck, extra good value. 8c For Ladies' Derby Ribbed Vests, taped neck, worth 15c. 10c For Ladies' Derby Ribbed Vests, taped neck and arms; a regular 20c quality.

WASH DRESS GOODS.

8½c For your choice of beautiful Lawns; regular price 10c per yd. 10c For your choice of beautiful Colored Dimities, fast colors, in stripes and figures, worth 15c per yard. New line French Japanese Silk, worth 75c, our price 49c. We have the most beautiful line of Wash Silks in the city. \$1.00 Brocade Satin, 74c. 12½c Percales, now 8½c. 6½c Bleached Cotton, yard wide, 5c. 18c Bleached Sheetting now at 15c. 10c Hard-wide Rustling Cambric, per yard 7½c. Best quality gloss finished Cambric, per yard 4c. 200-Yard Spool Thread, 2½c per spool.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

10c For good quality Shirts and Drawers, nicely finished, the regular 25c quality. Men's extra good quality Balbriggan Underwear, in cream, blue and fancy, the best line ever shown, equal to any 50c quality shown in the city, special price 25c.

CORSET BARGAIN.

\$1.00 Corset of the W. B. make, white, drab or black, bargain price, 69c. We are showing a good Corset for 25c.

SHOES AND SLIPPERS.

50c Infants' Soft-soled Shoes, all colors, 25c. \$1.00 Children's Shoes for 50c. Children's Black and Tan Spring Heel Shoes, 8½ to 12, button or lace, at 60c. Ladies' Black Custom-made Slippers, with tip or in common sense, worth \$2.75, our price \$1.58. \$1.00 Ladies' Oxford Ties, light weight, and flexible sole, new toes, now at 74c. Children's Slippers, in all styles, worth 75c, now at 25c. \$1.00 Buys a pair of Ladies' Fine Dark Tan Latest Toe, coin, in lace, with heel, a shoe our competitors ask you \$3.00 for. This is no exaggeration and is an investment you will be pleased with. \$2.00 Buys a pair of Misses' Coin Toe Fine Dark Tan, \$3.00 quality; a splendid shoe for summer. Men's Flow Shoes, good quality, at 74c. Men's better quality calf lined Shoes at \$1.00. Men's Milwaukee Grain Flow Shoes, \$1.15. Men's Oak-lined Flow Shoes, full stock calf, worth \$1.75 the world over, our price \$1.34.

CLOTHING.

Men's Fine Clay Worsted Suits, 57 quality, now \$5. Men's Fancy Mixed Suits in Scotch and Cheviots, your choice for \$5. Men's Fine Linen Suits in colors, worth \$6, now \$3.95. Children's and Boys' Suits in large quantities. A fine variety of Odd Pants. Our Shirt and Hat Departments are complete. We will make it interesting to you by showing you through these departments.

We are agents for the famous BUTTERICK PATTERNS. Initial patterns given away.

With every \$15.00 purchase we present you with a FARMERS' FRIEND Egg Case, perfectly secure against breaking of eggs.

We are always displaying bargains. If you are on the lookout for such visit

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PERSONAL.

R. M. Borbridge spent Sunday in Louisville.

Capt. W. T. Havens is in Salt Lick, on business.

Thos. Turner, Jr., of New Orleans, left on Friday for his home.

J. G. Trimble and daughter, Miss Ella, spent Sunday at Torrent.

Mrs. Amanda Rice, of Bath county, is visiting Mrs. Robert Crooks.

Miss Addie Chinn has returned from a two weeks' stay at Paris.

Mrs. Amelia Young is in Morehead visiting her sons, W. A. and Z. T. Young.

Mrs. L. F. Payne, of Midway, came on Saturday to spend a week with friends.

Will Ratliff and Miss Lizzie Pock, of Bath county, were in the city yesterday.

T. J. Ratliff and wife spent a few days with relatives in Bath county last week.

H. M. Witt, of this county, is in St. Louis, Mo., on a business trip of a few days.

Rev. E. G. B. Mann, of Paris, was in the city several days this week visiting friends.

W. O. Mine and wife, of Hazel Green will come to-day to visit the family of J. G. Trimble.

Mr. Otho Graves, a popular tobacco man of Louisville, was in the city Friday and Saturday.

Robert J. Hedden, of Shelby county came on Saturday to help nurse his sick brother, J. W. Hedden.

Mr. James Slaughter and wife, of Danville, Ky., have been visiting Dr. Drake and family for some days.

Mrs. T. M. Morrow, wife of the editor of the Jackson Hustler, is visiting Mrs. John L. McCormick.

Mr. Henry Judy, of Clark county, is visiting relatives in this city. He will also visit relatives Bath county before returning home.

W. H. Hall succeeds Mr. S. J. Gay as agent for the San Life Insurance Company in this city, Mr. Gay having tendered his resignation.

Judge Albert A. Hazenrigg attended the Annual Convocation of the Knights Templar of this State, which met in Mayville last week.

Mrs. Bishop Clay, of Lexington, returned to her home Saturday after a visit of several weeks to her mother and sisters in this county.

Mr. Jas. E. Hodson and Miss Helen Hedden, of Shelby county, came on Wednesday to be in attendance on their brother, Mr. J. W. Hedden.

Mrs. R. M. Trimble returned on Thursday evening from Louisville, where she had been at the bedside of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John White.

Messrs Sanford Brooks, of Lexington, and Hon. C. R. Brooks, of Oklahoma Territory, spent Sunday and yesterday with their mother in this city.

Miss Mary Pratt Hedden was called home from school at Georgetown on Wednesday to the bedside of her father. She will not return to school this term.

Miss Ella Trimble will on Thursday go to Midway to attend commencement exercises. Miss Clara Pieratt, who has frequently visited in this city is one of the graduates.

D. Taylor Apperson, of Company C, Second Regiment, Kentucky Volunteers, came up from Lexington Saturday night on a leave of absence.

DEATHS.

M'NEMAR.

J. B. McNemar, father-in-law of Samuel Donovan and Wm. Wyatt, and who formerly worked for Chas. Reis in this city, recently died at Gonzales, Texas.

PAYNE.

Mrs. Nannie Payne, of Lexington, died at St. Joseph's Hospital Sunday morning as the result of a surgical operation. The deceased was a niece of Messrs. M. A. and Joseph C. Scott of this city.

WADE.

Wm. Wade, a bachelor aged 88, died at his home at Wade's Mill on Tuesday night, May 17, 1898. Burial on Thursday at family graveyard on Donaldson. He was the last member of his family, but has many relatives.

FISHER.

Mrs. Parmelia Fisher, aged 86, died at the home of her nephew, Samuel Turley, on Thursday evening. Mrs. Fisher was a sister of the late James Turley, and was born and partly raised in this county. Before she was grown her father moved to Mt. Pleasant, Illinois, where she married and spent the larger part of her life. Some six or eight years ago she came back here to make this her home. Mrs. Fisher was a childless widow, and was for many years a consistent member of the Christian church. The funeral took place at the residence of Samuel Turley, Rev. H. D. Clark conducting the service. The interment took place in Macphail cemetery.

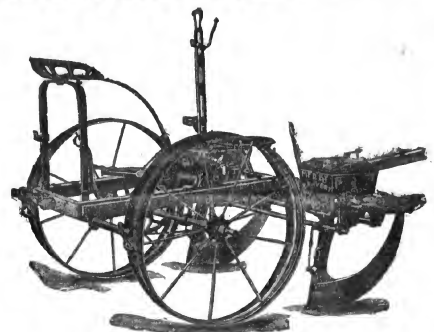
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RELIGIOUS.

Rev. Elbert Dawson has been employed to preach at White Oak, Bath County, on fourth Sundays.

Sunday was the annual "bonnet show" day at White Oak Church in Bath county. A large crowd was in attendance.

Rev. J. W. McGarvey will preach at Somers on the first Sunday in June, exchanging pulpits with A. P. Finley who will preach at Bethlehem.

"Forgiveness" by Rev. M. Hart Sunday night was perhaps the most appreciated of any sermon rendered by that gentleman for some time.—Wilmington Correspondent in Owingsville Outlook.

A union Sunday school was recently organized at Poplar Creek school house on G. P. Sullivan's farm. Jos. Puchel is superintendent. The attendance last Sunday was 45.

Rev. J. L. Irvine failed to secure his commission as Chaplain of the Second Ky. Volunteers and returned here to continue his pastorate of the Presbyterian Church, to the great pleasure of his many admirers.—Owingsville Outlook.

The partnership heretofore existing between Messrs J. G. & R. H. Winn has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. J. G. Winn retains the office the firm has lately occupied. Mr. R. H. Winn goes to the office of Judge E. C. O'Rear with whom he will be, in the future, associated in the practice of law.

Do not become so absorbed with the destruction of the Spanish fleet as to forget that your house needs a new roof. This and all other tin work can be done by O. Laughlin & Son. 45-2t

L. A. Plummer and Miss Sarah L. Stephens, of Jeffersonville, were married on the 19th inst.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

Farmers from different sections of the county report:

Corn coming up nicely and the stand excellent.

Tobacco ground in good order and the stand of the tobacco already planted very good. Plants plenty and strong and healthy. The acreage planted will be very considerably above the average.

Potato bugs are plentiful and are getting in their work in great shape on the vines.

Butchers and dealers report but few cattle plenty, but that owners are asking good stiff prices for them. Cattle fit for the shambles are selling at about 4 1/2 cents.

It has been rather widely published that there has been a sharp advance in hemp on account of the stoppage of trade with the Philippines. Mr. W. J. Loughbridge, an extensive buyer of Lexington, Ky., through the Morning Herald, denies this, but admits that such an advance may be looked for in the near future. To substantiate his claim that as yet there has been no marked advance he quotes the following crops bought by him during the past week or ten days:

From Benj. Woodford, of Bourbon county, 80,000 pounds at \$3.50 per 112 pounds for '97 and \$2.50 for '96.

From Brice Steele, of Bourbon, 60,000 pounds of '97 at \$3.40.

From John McIntire, of Jessamine county 30,000 pounds of '96 at \$3.

From J. H. Lyne, of Lincoln county, 30,000 pounds of '96 at \$2.80.

From George B. Nelson, of Clark county, 40,000 pounds of '97 at \$3.55.

From Frank Hurst, of Woodford county, 80,000 pounds of '97 at \$3.55.

Monday was one of the liveliest days with the hemp buyers and sellers that has been experienced in Jessamine county for some time, says the Nicholasville Journal. Monday being

court day two of the largest hemp dealers in the country were here, Ham Scott and W. J. Loughbridge, both of Lexington, and the bidding was very spirited in opposition to the Nicholasville dealers. The following crops were disposed of in Jessamine at \$1.00 per hundred. J. W. Duncan, Sr., 50,000 pounds; Charles Spillman, 20,000; Harrison Teator 32,000. The Journal was also reliably informed that one of the largest hemp layers in the State and who resides in Jessamine, had purchased within the past month 300,000 pounds of hemp at prices ranging from \$3 to \$4. The acreage of hemp which has been sown in Kentucky is the smallest in twenty years.

D. N. Prewitt sold to George Tarkington fifty-six sheep and thirty-one lambs for \$930.—J. L. Whitlock bought of George Gibson six shoats at \$3, and one yearling heifer at \$3; of James Hurdley four shoats at \$3; of J. S. May one calf at \$7.50; of Mrs. Mat Beyer ninety-one head of fat hogs at \$3.60.—The farmers are about through planting their corn. The acreage will be 15 per cent larger than in '97; tobacco about 50 per cent larger than in '97. The prospects for wheat is as good as it has been for a number of years.—E. B. Baxter, of Perryville, is on the Fork buying lambs for June delivery at \$4 1/2 cents.—Danville Advocate.

Johnson & Bass, of Russellville, Ky., are feeding one hundred jacks.

Dealers say choice young mules are very hard to find, and all indications point to a sharp advance in prices. Mule colts on this market are being held at \$50.

Army mules must be 15 hands high and must weigh 1,000 pounds. The Government does not want to pay but \$100, but crop time is here and prices range from \$120 to \$140.

Wheat in Montgomery county is said to be looking very well, and the prospects for a full crop are excellent.

THE SICK.

Mrs. Polly Harrah continues quite feeble.

Judge Squire Turner, editor of the Sentinel-Democrat, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, was able to be on the street for the first time Thursday.

Mr. J. W. Hedden, editor of THE ADVOCATE is very materially improved, and we are glad to report, but he is still a very sick man. Mr. Hedden is suffering from appendicitis and on Thursday night it was thought a surgical operation was plainly indicated. A slight, but still a marked improvement the next morning induced the physicians to defer it. Since then the improvement in his condition has been steady, if slow. A few days of continued change for the better will give his friends something to base a strong hope upon for his recovery.

Rain.

During the past week there have been fine rains, which make the season favorable for tobacco plants and the corn.

Cosmo Bantornilk Toilet Soap makes the skin soft, white and healthy. Sold by Thos. Kennedy, Druggist. 45-2t

Until one hundred copies of crayon portraits 16 by 20 inches, nicely framed, are sold, I will make them at \$2 each. Place your orders now. R. M. D. ANDERSON, Over Baum's Store. 45-4t

Remember, when you want nice soap, perfumes, hair brushes, toilet articles, call on Kennedy & Duerson 45-4t

Thomas W. Priest, aged 57, died at his home at Side View, this county, on Saturday last. Tom Priest was a man loved and honored by a wide circle of friends and acquaintance, and many was the tear dropped upon the sod, loving hands gently laid upon the breast of this loyal friend, christian citizen; brave soldier and christian gentleman. When the storm of war broke over this country he went out to fight for what he believed to be the right, joining Captain Bedford's Company in the first Battalion Kentucky Mounted Riflemen, C. S. A. (Col. Zerk Clay commanding). He was taken prisoner and served a term of imprisonment at Rock Island. In all the years since the war he has seen but few in which he could call himself a well man. While in the service he was vaccinated and blood poisoning set up and from that day (with the exception of about ten years) till the day of his death he was a sufferer from physical ills that rendered life almost a burden. He was twice elected county clerk of this county and filled the office with fidelity and rare efficiency. He married Miss Ella Roberts, whose devotion to him in his last long illness did so much to sweeten the bitter cup of suffering held to his lips. Besides the devoted wife a brother, Mr. S. S. Priest, of Side View, survives him. Few men go to their long rest as sincerely mourned by so wide a circle of personal friends as does Tom Priest. A short burial service was held at the grave in Macphail cemetery Sunday afternoon by Rev. A. P. Finley and H. D. Clark.

Judge E. C. O'Rear is billed to deliver an address before the students of the Kentucky Wesleyan Academy to-day at Campton. The commencement week exercises of the school began last evening with a declamatory and debating contest.

Rolled oats 50 per package at A. Baum & Son's.

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